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DEATH. Accidentally drowned at Shaughai, on the 3rd July, 1899, ADA WALLACE, in her 19th year.

Hongkone, July 12th, 1899. There were 7 cases of plague yesterday and 7 ency.

The silk ex C. P. R. steamer Empress of Ching arrived in New York on the 8th inst.

It is stated in American papers that General at 1/4. Miles has asked for the Philippine command. but that the chances are against his obtaining

We have to acknowledge receipt of No. 2 of The Yellow Dragon, a monthly magazine conduoted in the interests of the students of Queen's College.

Messrs. J. G. Purdon and Thos. R. Wheelon have been asked to act as delegates of the Shans hai General Chamber of Commerce to the forth coming International Commercial Congress a

Philadelphia.

In vesterday's issue it was stated that the price paid for Marine Lot No. 110 at the auc tion on Saturday was at the rate of \$7.75 pe foot. This was a misprint for \$1.75, the actua price obtained.

directors of the Hongkong and Shanghai Mr. C. W. May... Bank propose to pay at the forthcoming meet. Cpt.R.M. Rumsey, R.N. ing a dividend of £1 10/- per share, add Mr. E. A. Ram ... ... \$1,000,000 to the reserve fund, write off Dr. J. A. Lowson \$250,000 from property account, and carry for. Mr. C. Palmer ... ward about \$950,000.

It is reported in local mandarin circles, syas the N. C. Daily News, that Yu Keng. ex-Minister to Japan and Minister-designate to the French Republic, is persona non grata to the Republic, which upon receipt of news of the SHORT RANGE CUP AND SPOONS, SATURDAY appointment at once telegraphed to Peking its refusal to accept Yu Keng as Chinese Minister. This led to his memorial asking to be excused Mr. W. Diggins \* 43 from going abroad again on the ground of Mr. A. Watson physical disabilities.

The Echo de Chine announces with extreme | Ar. Sgt. Blair regret the death of Père Lemonnier, formerly Mr. Marshall Procureur Général of the Missions Etrangères C.S.M. Wallace, B.E. 42 at Shanghai, and afterwards at Hongkong. | Corp. Hills R.E. He left Europe for the Far East in 1855, and Mr. F. Beck before coming to Shanghai was Professor in Mr. G. P. Lammert 43 the College at Penang. He was a man of high | 15 Entries, Winner of the Cup, Mr. Diggins sitainments, and deep devotion to his work, affable to all and very self-denying, and his death is a great loss to the Missions.

The Hupao states that both the brothers Li Han-chaug and Li Hung-chang have been recently buying up, through their agents, considerable landed property in Winhi, near the foreign Settlement. The reason for this seems to be that it is intended by the Chinese Governsimilar lines to Woosung, and, knowing this. the shrewd brothers have bought up all avail- the empire, merchants, and traders unanimously lone or more tower-like pawnshops, which with plains that this office is a detriment to the inable property within the proposed new port .-

N. C. Daily News. months' imprisonment.

less than 23 carts carrying various kinds of dollars and subsidiary coins minted there legal books, translated into Chinese from English tender of the empire.-N. C. Daily News. standard works on political economy, science of government, etc., etc., were brough to the Empress Dowager's Palace on the 25th ultimo. having been purchased by Her Majesty's command from the book depots of Tientain and is Rowland's Macaesas Oil, which closely Bhanginai. The cost of these books was a little resembles the oily matter nature provides for over Tla 3,000 and it would appear that in her nourishing and stimulating its growth, without hing, was passed at close quarters, and of course This we accepted at of consideration for many trials and troubles of government the Empress Dowager is determined to make a Its prevents baldness and sourf, strengthens the study of Western civilisation and sciences in order to be able to direct the reforms which pupile running now in the Chinese name is Wah Pin Shek, advertised letter against our department. Your the chinese name is Wah Pin Shek, advertised letter against our department. Your the now that reactionism spells rain for China

The Shanghai magistrate, under instructions from Vicercy Liu at Nanking and Provincial Treasurer Nich at Socohow, issued a proclamation on the 6th July prohibiting the export of grain or rice from Shanghai, the reason given being the great scarcity of food stuffs in that part of Kiangsu and the distress to the people arising from the high prices demanded for them.

We (N. C. Daily News) regret to have to an-

nonnee the sudden douth at the Commercial Hotel Shanghai, on the morning of the 6th July, of Mr. Karl Steele-Tolle, an eminent violencellist and kong. a native of Germany, at the age of 65. He arrived at Shanghai about six months ago having previously visited the place about twenty years ago, but his hand had lost its cunning, and he would have fared hadly but for the kindness of the Philharmonic Society, Commander Vela, Professor Sternberg, and Mr. F. L. Jrompton. He hold several German diplomas for proficiency in music, and was at one time a member of Herr Aug. Manus' famous Crystal Palace orchestra. He spent ten years in Java, where he gave many successful concerts, and pursued his profession in Leipsic between 1890 and 1897, He was unmarried, two sisters being his only living near relatives. Dr. Paulun was called when it was found that he was dead and cortified that he died of apoplexy. He was found dead at 8.45 a.m. having taken his coffee as usual two hours before. He was buried in the evening at the Bubbling Well Read Cemetery, Pastor Krantz officiating.

At the Magistracy yesterday, before Mr Gempertz (Acting Police Magistrate), two men were placed in the dock on a charge of robbery with violence. It appears that on Monday night defendants and two other men engaged a bost at Shankiwan in charge of two women. When about a mile from the village one of the men called out "Now's the time, and while he held one of the women by the throat another of the men pulled a bangle. valued at 311.50, from her arm. The women ories came to their assistance. In the struggle which ensued the best capsized. The women were rescued and taken on board the fishermen' boat as were also two of their assailants, the other two being either drowned or getting away. The woman made their way to the Shaukiwan Police Station and told Inspector Robertson their story. The Inspector accompanied them to the fishermen's boat, and received defendants into custody.—First defendant said two men engaged the boat and they went with them .- Second defendant had nothing to say. -They were each sentenced to three months with hard labour and ordered to receive six strokes with the brich rod.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 9th July.

CANADA AND ORIENTAL IMMIGRA.

Sir Wilfred Laurier, speaking in the Canadian Parliament on the question of disallowing the British Columbian measures for excluding Chinese and Japanese, said he was prepared to deal with Chinese immigration in accordance with the views of the Columbians, but the guestion of Japanese immigration must be governed by Imperial considerations, for if Great Britain should be precipitated into a war in the Orient the support of Japan would be of the greatest

LAUNCH OF A JAPANESE CRUISER The Japanese cruiser Yakumo has been sufficessfully launched at Stettin. The wife of the Japanese Minister christened the ship, BRITISH SUBJECTS IN THE DUTCH

Mr. Brodrick, replying to Lord Charles Beresford in the House of Commons, said that British subjects in the Dutch Indies were liable

to service in the Militia. COMING EVENTS. &c. Lord Lansdowne has introduced a Bill for enforcing ballot for the Militia. Lord Lansdowne does not expect the Bill to be passed,

but brings it forward because he wants the nation to understand the necessity for some

INDIAN CURRENCY. The Indian Currency Committee's report recommends a Gold standard with the sovereign as legal tender and fixing the value of the rupes

THE ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF QUARTERLY MEETING. Considering the extreme prevailing heat there was a fair attendance on the links during the

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DE. P. E. HOMBOIL	
Capt. E. Burnie	
	9 entries.
+	BOOKY CUP.

We are informed that, subject to audit, the Mr. C. M. G. Burnie... 5 down rec. 5 strokes

THE HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. 

STE JULY. 200 300 H'cap Total, Mr. W. Toller Mr. A. H. Skelton \* 45 \* Winners of Spoons."

THE CHINESE CURRENCY.

It is a well-known fact that the inferior weights and fineness of the silver dollars and intervals we passed villages, all very dirty look. | also call your correspondent's attention to the violent aftereations in the extreme wing of the subsidiary coins made at the Nanking, Nganking, ling, but picturesquely situated in little velleys fact that the fermer farmer did not reduce the Chamber, where the Anti-Ministerialists are Tientsin, and Foochow mints, as compared with and sometimes almost buried in clumps of troos. rate until the 24th year (1898). Prior to this gathered. those coined at Wuchang and Canton, have been Pagodas and joss houses are very plentiful; at date, he collected it at the full figure as an almost insuperable obstacle to the free cir. Shauking four of the former could be seen on specified in the tariff. We are at a loss to culation of the "Drugon" money throughout the surrounding hills. Every village possesses know how on earth your correspondent comrefusing to accept at par the dollars and decimai coinage of the first four above named mints and in many instances even abso-At the Mixed Court at Shanghai the other Intely refusing to accept them owing to day, before Mr. Weng (magistrate), and Dr. the boseness of the mintage. The Taungli Barchet (U.S. assessor), a native reporter of the Yamen has however, we learn from Peking, Hat Shang Jeh Pao was charged with black- taken up this question and has recommended mailing Massrs. Olivier, de Langenhagen & the Throne to sanction the dismissal of the Co.'s compradore. The trouble arose over a various staffs and the amalgamation of the case of plece goods which had been stolen from machinary of the Nanking and Naganking the Bhanghai and Hongkew Wherf Co.'s mints with that at Wuchang, and the Tientain godowns last week and to whom the goods were and Foochew with the Canton mint. This is consigned. The reporter wrote a paragraph owing to the superiority in fineness and unistating the compredere was the thief and re- formity of weight of the money coined by the fused to centradict it unless paid the sum of Wuchang and Canton mints, the regulations \$100. The court sentenced accused to three and roles of which were linstituted by H. E. Viceroy Chang Chih-tung who founded both, that at Canton being the pioneer mint of China It is stated in the vernacular papers that no established by Imperial decree, making the

> HAIR PRESERVED AND BEAUTIFIED. The only reliable preserver and restorer of the harl Mother of the Dragon, which is, however, a laquare up with us by payment of the penalty which the hair becomes dry, thin and brittle. hair, and for children it lays the foundation of

OIL, of Hatton Garden, London.

THE OPENING OF CANTON.

POREIGN BUSINESS PIRMS ESTABLISHED IN THE CITY. One of the most interesting chapters in Lord Charten Beresford's book "The Break-up of China l'is that dealing with Canton, in which appears certain correspondence as to the opengoods by Mostrs. Banker and Co., of Hong.

In a letter dated August 10th, 1898, to Mr. R. W. Mansfield, H. M. Consul at Canton Sir Claude MacDonald, H.B.M. Minister at Peking.

rou, in reply to your despatch No. 24 June 21st; that Messrs. Bankor and Co. are clearly entitled under treaty to establish a all duties and exactions that are not authorised by treaty. As foreign goods imported into Cun-

On receipt of this letter Mr. Mansfield wrote the route taken is 314 miles. the Viceroy asking His Excellency to "issue Lovely weather was experienced during the protection thus secured is equally, participated instructions to your subordinates that the goods | whole journey; rather hot in the sun, but very in and enjoyed by both Chinese and European Banker and Co., or of those who purchase goods improved by the change and very well pleased the half-duty and the proper duty to the Cus-

The Viceroy, in a letter dated December 16th lemurred to this, contending that the area of exemption from likin was confined to the foreign concessions at the different ports-in the case of Canton to Shameen—and requesting that Messra. Banker and Co., should be forthwith directed to close their shop "so that complications may be avoided."

Consul Mansfield, however, having received his instructions, was determined to act upon them to the letter, and informed His Excellency that any attempt to levy likin on Messrs, Banker's goods or to interfere with their business would oblige him to institute claims against any Chinese official who might make such an "attempt." At the same time the Consul wrote Messrs Banker to the effect that they were at liberty to open their business as soon as they

There is some further correspondence on the same subject, but the right of foreigners to open business premises in Capton seems to be established, for Messrs. Banker and Co. have the history of the Forts and Artillery Corps. not been interfered with since and their business' n the Yeung On, where the piece goods shops are situated, has become considerable. Three German firms have since opened shops in Canton for the sale of piece goods, and two or three American firms engaged in the flour trade bave also established themselves in the city.

A TRIP TO WUCHOW

On Saturday last, at 12.15 p.m. Messrs. Butterfield and Swire's new steamer, the Samshui, Captain Summers in command. left Hongkong on her maiden trip to Wachow, having on board a small party of Europeans mont of this duty with a view to prevent who took advantage of this exceptionally international complications and to maintain favourable opportunity for seeing the much talked of Sikiang, or West River.

The Samshui was built by the Hongkong our superintendence, there is no foreign settle and Whampon Dock Co., and is a twin-screw ment by which the foreign trade can be made boat with engines of 300 indicated horse-power. She is 165 tons register, 133 feet in length, 23 feet beam, and draws seven feet of water.

by Mr. Ramsay, Messis. Butterfield and Swire's Marine Superintendent, is admirably arranged, and passengers will in future be able to make | between the Foreigners and Chinese in regard form of compulsory service in case of emerg- the journey to West River ports with as much to the trade, by which the collection of lekin comfort as if they were on a mail steamert Everything is on as mall scale, of course, but

The boat will shortly be fitted with the electric | The stariff by which the lekin is charged is as light, the plant being now on its way out from follows:--England. It may be confidently anticipated that in future a large number of Encopeans will avail themselves of the excellent opportunities provided, and enjoy what is a really delightful trip and at the same time see a portion of Southern out by the Government to Chinese merchants China which has hitherto been visited by but under an official certificate which, inter alice few foreigners: Messrs. Butterfield and Swire | prohibits any increase or reduction being made intend placing another boat on the run, when | during the continuance of the farm: That the departures from Hongkong for Samshui office is at present conducting the farm i

and Wuchow will be tri-weekly. We left the Douglas Wharf at 12.15 p.m., part to strictly carry the conditions of the cerwent through Capsuimoon, and then across the | tificate into operation. With reference to th Canton River to Wangmun Channel, which is resignation of the former farmer, our predecesone of the many mouths of the West River, and sor, we have made enquiries into the circumabout forty miles from Hongkong. A strong stances under which he resigned the monopoly ebb-tide was encountered and at 5.15 we and find that his trouble was caused by certain entered the channel. A little distance Chinese traders who had clandestinely work further and a balt was made at Wang ed in league with Foreigners in this trade. mun Customs Station, which is an old junk | paying them a bouns of five dollars on every fitted up for the accommodation of the 100 cases of kerosine disposed of under the in two European officers in charge. Fifteen flaence of the latter, who in return for this minutes was sufficient to get the necessary remuneration undertook to smuggle the said clearance and we did not stop again until Wu- goods into the interior market free of lekin chow was reached. From now until bedtime charge and the half duty. This had deprived covered with paddy fields and banana planta- takings, and in consequence of this robbery he

tions. A lot of land here has been reclaimed | had suffered great paciniary loss. He had not and the whole of the delta is closely intersected | the sense to take his stand on the Treaty to opby innumerable watercourses. In the distance, pase these unlawful proxies in this trade. Bo on either side, can be seen the hills which mark | ing entirely without any help to legal remedy, the limits of the delta. The most striking feature on the river is the kerosine to \$10 per 100 cases with a view to run Ling Yang Gorge, which we went through at | down the illegal competition of these represenabout 4 o'clock on Sunday morning when it was tatives, but as he did this the foreign mer-

dark. Unfortunately, it was also dark (3 a.m.) | chants brought their charges down to \$2.50 when the return passage though the Gorge was The former then again reduced it to \$5, while not one child born this year is now alive." made, but a few of the passengers saw it. The latter came down to \$1.50. This having proved river in the narrowest portion of the Gorge is unavailing, the farmer reduced it again to \$3 only about three houdred yards wide, and hills as a last resort, but the foreigners made a still of 1,500 to 2,000 feet in height rise abraptly greater reduction, cutting their commission from the water's edge.

to Wuchow the general aspect is about the revenue to be a sised for the better and more ports from the Chamber of Commerce. same hills and valleys covered with refreshingly green grass and dotted over with small trusted with this responsible duty, we as pine trees. The hills generally rise from the the present formers of the monopoly feel water's edge, which in many places is fringed in duty bound to abide by the scale and vote of confidence in the Ministry, by a with dense groves of bamboo. At frequent insist on the full rate being paid. We will majority of 164, despite bitter opposition and

the river is m rked on the chart as being a matter looks suspicious and we cannot bein over, saw only a few innocent looking fishing plane originating from the case of Shou Ting- the carnet for ransom." boats there. Numerous berds of water buffaloes wallow in was punished by the Magistrate and his goods the mud. A towing path follows the river at and towing deeply laden boats up the river. duty certificate and the pass bearing the official that they act as a check to Socialism. The loop of the rope was put over one shoulder, seil. The case was tried and one half of his the other arm being free to use the fan with which most of them were provided and which they must have needed protty badly in the was brought about through the smuggling of bluzing sun under which they toiled and the Ynen Wo shop, which was found conspiring

The telegraph line from Canton to Wushow | kerosine as foreign property, which were upon follows the river just above the towing path. At 10 o'clock the town of Yuetsing, on the dealers. The amugylers, on being arrested for north bank, was passed and the cameras on board | the offence, requested Tsol Tai-ki and Chanwere used on the celebrated temple of the Tsun sam to intercate for them, proposing to very unpretentious looking building. About and in addition, the lekin on the goods the mid day a fine nine storied pagoda near Tak-

A few miles above Tashing, on the north side, is an extraordinarily prominent rock, which | two cases quoted shove is, we venture to state. a luxurious growth. Also in a golden colour for rises to a height of about 1,402 feet above the the reason which his prompted your corresfair and golden haired ladies and children. Ask river, It is celled on the chart "The Monks' pendent to make the unsavoury remarks in his [1828\_1] When about night miles below Wuchow a tiger correspondent also complains of the falling off 21

and this was about the most exciting incident which occurred on the whole journey. quantity of this freight to the Island has been The author was dropped at Wuchow at 6.20, p.m. the voyage up having taken thirty hours nothing but the following incidents:-As time would not permit of a longer sta 1.—The hat season, when kerosine is less than an haur, most of us went ashore at once consumed in this district. in order to sac as much as possible of the city. 2.-The increased value of this article.

It was rumoured a few weeks ago in Hougko that there was a strong anti-foreign feeling ing of a shop in the city for the sale of piece at Wuchew, but during our brief stay there we saw nothing of it, but on the contrary were treated with the greatest civility by the outstanding accounts. 4. Scarcity of monoy in the market. inhabitants. The writer went into city along with a comern, and never saw on uppleasant restare or board any remarks about fan kwei, nothing but polite and smiling surprise being caused by his appearance, popular brand in Hongkong by 20 cents per which in Canton would possibly have been gros-"It is scarceely necessary for me to inform ted with scowls and unpleasant remarks.

streets, are, narrow and dirty and the city prosents no partionlar features of interest. The anchor was weighed and the return journey. shop in the city of Canton, and in carrying on commenced at 7.40 p.m. The heat in Wuchow the business of such a shop to exemption from was intense and everyone was glad to get on dack again and enjoy the cool breeze which

a The streets of Wuchow, like all Chinese

On Monday morning we found corselves and highly improbable. He evidently forgets on are free, so long as they romain within the below Samshui and passing some exceedingly that these goods imported by native craft limits of the port, from all taxation except the picturesque aconcry. Turning into the channel from Macao or Hongkong to this Island are tariff duty, Messrs. Banker and Co. should re- which we came up by good time was made to required to pay the proper duty before their ispany attempt on the part of the Chinese au- Wangman, which was reached just before tiffin, landing. He has also lost sight of the well thorities to levy likin on such goods within the and after stopping a few minutes for the known drawback, which is highly unfavourable. Childese city If likin is levied in contravention Customs, the Canton River was entered and the to the native trade by Chinese craft, and this f the treety, or if Mesers. Banker and Co.'s course shaped for Hongkong. It was 2.30 in is that a considerably higher freight is charged business is interfored with, it will become your the afternoon when the Samshui reached the on goods corried by them than by steamers. The duty to give them every lawful assistance and to | wharf, the trip having taken almost exactly | lekin system was introduced for the purpose of exercise the utmost vigilance in defence of fifty hours, including over an hour in Wuchow. raising money towards defraying the expenses The distance from Hongkong to Wuchow by of forts and gaus to ensure better protection to

of Messrs. Banker and Co, are not to be in any pleasant on the upper deck under the shade of traders within the dominions of China. If the way molested on their way from the steamer the awning, there being a delightfully cool interested parties are of opinion that our Downerses to their city shop; nor can any duty breeze blowing & whole time:

| partment is really an inconvenience so yery beyond the Customs import duty be levied on | Although the boat, craw, and everything on | detrimental to their business interest there these goods so long as they are in the port or board was new, not a hitch occurred through nothing to prevent them from putting their city of Canton, whether while in the hands of out the trip, and everybody returned feeling goods through the proper channels by paying

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents. THE HAINAN LEKIN FARM.-A REPLY BY THE FARMERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." DEAR MR. EDITOR,-We shall feel greatly obliged if you will be kind enough to give a place in the correspondence columns of your valuable paper to the accompanying statement relative to lokin dues, in reply to the Hainan letter signed "E.P.S." and dated the 12th June, 1899, which appeared in the issue of your paper bearing date the 17th June last.

Adverting to the collection of the lekin re-

vonue, which forms the subject matter of this our letter, we will refer the renders to the era of which was inaugurated in the 17th year of Kwang Sa (1891), when the Chinese Government, conceiving the necessity of raising funds to maintain the same, passed an Ordinance for the levy of lokin on the three commodities, viz., kerosine, cotton yarn, and cotton on importa tion into the interior of China. The Ordinance contains a proviso to the effect that the collection of this tax shall cease upon the disappearacce of the troubles against which the Forts and Artillery Corps were formed as a safeguard land. The Marquis of Londonderry presided. The rules regulating the collection of the less in the district of Holhow are practically identical with those in force in the rest of the treaty ports and provide that the foreign settlements in all provinces are to be exempted from payand preserve the rights and privileges granted to these concessions. In Kinngchow fu, which is within the field of operation, under distinct and separate from the native. In view of the privileges which are granted to forsigners for encouraging the development of trade, which involves equally both foreign and The cabin and saloon accommodation designed | Chinese interests, and having due regard for the necessity of guarding against complications, which have so often arisen from the innunerable arthrest of smuggling, a line was drawn

Kerosine oil 20 cents per case.

Cotton yarn 2 mace per picul.

Foreign cotton I made per picul.

Hoihow and nothing has been wanting on ou

he secretly reduced the rate of his lokin on

fat, who was apprehended for smuggling and

confiscated. The snuggled goods consisted of

goods was ordered to be confiscated. Apart

from this case; there was another gradge which

with certain foreigners to pass 4,000 cases of

examination proved to be owned by unlive

payment of which they had attempted to avoid

heatre at Stratford-on-Avon, the town where Shakspere was born. AN ALLEGED ITALIAN SPY. Paris, 13th June. An Italian General has been arrested at Nice. le is General Gillette de St. Joseph. He was examining the fortifications on the frontier and number of plans of the fortifications were ound on him. The General owns a villa on dues is regulated, exempting the above commodities from the taxation when in the possession of a foreigner, while the Chinese engaged in the trade must submit to the imposition.

that the Italian officer arrested at Nice yester- | General Lord Kitchener are also to receive deday is General Sar Guiseppe, not St. Joseph, grees. The general feeling is that the protest adding that he commands the Cremons Brigade | against the degree is belated. The collection of this tax has been farmed in garrison at Piacentia, and went to Nice on urlough. While on an excursion there he was arrested by the French gendames.

The Italian Government, says the Rome corsatisfaction from France for the arbitrary errest at Nice, on Monday, of the Italian Gen-

charge of espionage.

THE REPROJECT OF RUSSIA. London, 14th June. While famine is not threatening the Southern | ties outstanding. Province of Russia, a correspondent of the Times at St. Petersburg wires that the con-

dition of the seven provinces of East European Russia is worse than during the famine of Government charges for seed forn, no encour- having refused to meet them, Spain would be agement is given to the peasants to till ground. obliged to pay them. A tobacco revenue was It is unnecessary to quote the harrowing details proposed, as a guarantee for a new loan of

received from the relief agents. These could | 200,000,000 pesetas. add nothing to the stern significance of the A CANLID ON-LOOKER ON THE POSITION IN statement made by a Russian of authority in one district in the Government of Kazan, that THE TRANSVAAL GOLD OUTPUT.

Washington, 14th June. The output of gold from the Transvall during last March, the date of the latest official report was far in excess of any previous month, the down to \$1. The farmer, finding that he was We cleared the Gorge at daylight, and from only playing a losing game, had to withdraw ligures being 464,036 ounces, valued this point the river widens out and has more the from the field and abandon altogether the \$8,564,646, and no less than \$2,092,595 worth appearance of a lake. At 7 o'clock we passed Shan- monopoly, These were the circumstances under of gold is being shipped each week from South king a walled city of considerable size. The which he resigned. It must be borne in mind Africa. The March output has doubled the opinion, rations which are too heating. Adriver here is over a mile wide, and the low-lying that the farmer had no right to reduce the ligares of two years ago and the increase still mirably supplied with provisions the soldiers rice fields were no longer to be seen. Passing rates, which proceeding was in contravention of goes on. These facts are contained in a report through about fifteen miles of fairly level country. the Ordinance passed by the authorities with to the Department from the United States. the Shuihing Gorge was entered, and from here. the special object of protecting this particular | Consul Macram, at Pretoria, transmitting reefficient protection of the country. Being eu-ITALIAN MINISTRY BUSTAINED.

Rome, 15th June. The Chamber of Deputies to-day passed A PRECIOUS RELIC.

CATHOLICISM VS. BCCIALISM.

Rome, 15th June. The vatious Catholic associations that were high water mark, and it was very interesting 20 cases of kerosino oil. He had a foreign disbanded after the riots last year, have been to see the strings of coolies hitched on to ropes merchant's licence, but was without the half allowed to resume, the Government believing CORDIAL RELATIONS RESUMED. Madrid, 16th June.

The newly-appointed United States Minister to Spain, Mr. Bellamy Storer, was received in addience by the Queen to-day. There were no speeches, only a few cordial words were exchanged. The Queen-Regent was very amiable and complimentary to Mr. Storer, and onquired cordially concerning the health of President McKinley.

THE MISSING EXPLORER.

Stockholm. 16th June.

Waterley Works, Edinbergh

The members of the Hydrographic Congress were received by King Oscar at the Boyal Castle to-day, His Majesty showed them the The impartiality (liplayed in the trial of the The Pate acces-Machine & Cameron, Limited, DES ARVEA NATIONAL MEMORIAL for their excellent inventions."-Direr Chronicle. THE WAVERLEY PEN. THE PICKWICK PRO. THE HINDOO PEN-

was seen in a bamboo copse on the south bank, of the keresine importation to Hainan. In | tern despatch from Professor Andree, the miss- | a long conference yesterday with his colleagues, response to this, we admit that since we took ling Arctic balloonist, recently found in Iceland, decided to despatch Dr. Zorn and Boson von

val, when Chinese business was for the time ber. being susponded, for the general settlement of CHAUNCEY DEPEN SPEAKS. London, 16th June. The dinner which the White Friars Club 5.—The overstocking of the market with this

arrivals of new brands which are unsaleable.

Your correspondent alleges that the slack

the country, and it cannot be denied that the

stations. As all these certificates are within

easy reach of both Chinese and foreigners alike,

it is only idle to make such unreasonable

romarks against this Department under the

colour of prierance, when there are so many

available remedies open to them. Instead of

availing themselves of those remedies, they have

aggravated their offence by avowedly purheas-

ing foreign influence to evade the payment of

this legal taxation. Behaving as they have

done, their character is better imagined than

described. The letter charges us with having

we have done nothing more than what

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The following telegrams are from Vancouver

papers received by the C. P. R. steamer Em

TO TUNNEL THE IRISH CHANNEL.

At a largely-attended meeting of peers, en-

rincers, and others held this evening in the

House of Commons, a resolution was adopted

to address a petition to the First Lord of the

Tronsury. Mr. Arthur J. Balfour, relative to

and read letters from Lord Rosebery, Field

Marshal Lord Garnet Wolseley, Lord Charles

Beresford, and others, favouring the scheme, on

the ground that it would unite England and

SHUN TAK TONG.

Loudon, 12th June.

required of us by the Ordinance.

Heihow, July, 1899.

press of Japan :--

Chinese adventurors.

8. The interrupted sale of the article in the M. Depew and Mr. Poultney Bigelow, dwelt cerning which the delegates preserved silhands of foreigners, owned by disreputable upon this theme. Mr. Depew, after some light ence, probably because no definite decision had remarks and a tribute to Mark Twain, struck | been reached. There is a growing belief that a serious note. & Alluding to the change of sen- the Emperor William is favourable, if the other timent in America, produced by Great Britain's | Powers will accept the new plan as the basis of ness of this business was due to the immenso importation of this commodity by Chinese attitude and action during the Hispano-Ameri- discussion, and will at once proceed to discuss a innks, etc. This is a rockless conjecture can War, he said .- When Captain Coghlin, definite plan for an arbitration board. of the Ruleigh, returned from Manila he told . us morally and actively, if necessary, which sentatives at The Hague are opposed to arbitraprevented their interference (applause); and it | tion, have been noted with displeasure. Almost 20,000 people in America the other day, to take | trigues in order to prejudice the world against the Stars and Stripes in one and the Union

> CANADA'S LOYALTY. London, 16th June. Canada, in an address before the Eighty Club, weeks in the foreign, notably the Engin London, this evening, said that Canada was lish and French press, are calculated thoroughly and unquestionably leval to the to created false impressions. It was on British Crown. "Anything like serious con- account of this that Count Munster proposed templation of annexation to the United State," | that fall reports of the transactions from day to said His Lordship. "is absolutely a thing of day be given out officially. As regards Engthe past; and the French-Canadians are among the firmest supporters of a direct British con- | tion, this goes beyond the Russian proposal

Jack in the other hand, and not hear one dis-

senting voice in that vast audience."

Lord Aberdeen said he anticipated a satisfactory and pacific solution of the Alaskan boundary dispute. MCGILL HONOURS RUDYARD KIPLING Montreal, 16th June. The degree of LL.D. was conferred upon Rudyard Kipling by McGill University this afternoon. The function took place at the An-

nual Convecation of the Medical Faculty, and

was a brilliant affair. worked in league with a certain British subject THE NEWFOUNDLAND FISHERIES QUESTION. who is interested in the monopoly in question. London 16th June. This is a false accusation, and we doclare that Replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, said that the Commission on the Newfoundland fisheries had rendered its report, but it would not be published until the Government had decided upon its future action after consultation with

the Colonial Government. St. John's, Nfld., 17th June. It is understood here that on his coming visit, Admiral Bedford will take the British warships Crescent, Proserpina, and Quail to this port where he will meet Commodore Gifford's squadron, composed of the Comus, Alert, Buszard, and Columbine. This is intended as a demonstration in force against the French squadron, consisting of the Isly, Trouded, and Fulton, in view of the determination of the British Government the projected tunnel between Ireland and Eng. to bring the fishery dispute to an issue this

London, 17th June. The new Japanese torpedo boat destrover. Akeleno, claimed to be the fastest over built, reland more closely. The proposed route is a was tested to-day by a three hours' run to the distance of 25 miles, under 85 feet of water. Nore and return. The new boat attained

A PAST JAPANESE TORPEDO BOAT.

and the estimated cost of the undertaking is knot shead of the fastest destroyer in the British BERNHARDT AT SHAKSPERE'S HIRTHPLACE. KILLARNEY SAVED. London, 17th June. London, 13th June. Madame Sarah Bernhardt has arranged to The watchword has gone out that neither Tammany nor Howard Gould will have the lay "Hamlet" on June 29th, in the famous

Lakes of Killarney. The Duke of Westminster and others of the National Trust Society actively took up the matter at a meeting or Thursday. It is expected that the Dake will announce a plan for saving the Lake of the

AN ILL-TIMED PROTEST AGAINST RHODES London, 17th June The Pall Mall Gazette says that a petition French River, and has been suspected and has been presented against the bestowal by Oxclosely watched of late. He denied having been I ford University, on June 21st, of an honorary engaged in espionage, and said the plans were | degree upon Mr. Cecil Rhodes. The petition merely those of a tourist, and they had no secret | bears many important signatures, including signers were influenced by the orisis in the A semi-official note issued this evening says | Transvasl and by the fact that Lord Elgin and

THE SPANISH BUDGET. Madrid, 17th June. The Budget was submitted to the Chambers to-day, by the Finance Minister, Senor Villaverde. It showed that the expenditures for respondent of the Daily Mail, has demanded | the Colonies from the commencement of the insurrection in Cuba to the end of March. 1899, were 1,969,355,000 pesetas, of which eral; Giletta, taken into custody there on a 1,796,296,000 pesetas were for Cuba, 7,007,000 for Porto Rico and 165,988,500 pesetas for the

Philippines. Of these sums 1,455,279,000 pesetas are represented by bonds and other securi-The Budget estimates the expenses for the fiscal year at 937,178,134 pesetas, and the revenue at 937.930,415 pesetas. Russia is worse than during the famine of Senior Villaverde proposes a 5 per cent loan, 1891 and 1892. "Quite half the population of in order to meet the floating debt, which, de-11,000,000, he says, hare undergoing terrible | ducting the 119,000,000 pesetas received from suffering, starvation and disease, and the antho- | the United States exceeds 300,000,000 pesetas. we saw nothing but low, perfectly level land the farmer of a considerable proportion of his rities everywhere appear incapable and unpre- In introducting the Budget, Senor Villaverde, pared to deal with the calamity. Money is speaking of the Colonial debt, said that it was squandered in absurdly high pay to relief to be expected that the United States would agents, and owing to the high prices which the lassume these obligations, but the Americans

> THE PHILIPPINES. New York, 17th June. A prominent French newspaper man. M. Henri Turot, special correspondent of L'Eclaire and Le Monde Illustre . and chief editor of La Petit Republique returned from the Philip. pine Islands by way of Vancouver, B. C. and sailed for France to-day, in order to report the Pickford, of Whiffnal, aged sixteen. This is at result of his mission to his papers. said: "The American troops have in my

eat too much meat and not enough rice. Your soldiers fight with great bravery, but it is impossible not to remark the lack of discipling among Volunteers. The latter conduct themselves well under fire, but they pay little attention to obedience to their chiefs. In spite of the energetic orders of these chiefs, there has been regrettable pillaging. Also at times the Volunteers have committed acts of Lyne, Haywood, aged seventy, to Mrs. Bennet, really grave lack of discipline. During one of aged seventy-five. This is the fourth time that the expeditions of General Lawton against this blest couple have offered their mutual yows Santa Crnz, some of the Volunteers threw their at the alter of Hymon. rifles in the river, and refused to go further, It does not seem to me possible to hope for a com-The Cairo correspondent of the Daily Mail plets victory during the rainy season. The says: "A party of Bedouin Arabs recently at difficulity of a campaign in this country of the pagodas are the only prominent buildings. terests of his business, and bow it is that prior tanked a convoy of Egyptians, with the Holy mountains and excessive heat, must not be for-Several lekin stations were seen, and lishing and to our taking over the farm the foreigners | Carpet of Mahomet, between Mesca and gotten. It also seems to be incontestable that cargo bents in great numbers. One portion of had not raised their voice to condomn it. The Medina. A flores condict ensued. Four for this conquest of the interior, 100,000 men soldiers and three civilians of the convoy were will not be too many. We know in France famous resort of robbers and pirates; we, how. thinking that the complaint was noticated by killed and the rest fled. The Bedouins hold what the system of little parcels has cost. It is an example which the United States would

> THEOPEACE CONFERENCE AND GERMANY'S ATTITUDE ON ARBITRATION The Hague, June 17,-It is important that the present situation regarding the Board of Arbitration question be clearly understood. The work of the Peace Conference has been virtually suspended on this point, and probably will not be resumed for some days. On semi-official authority it is said that the situation is practically this: The German Government was opposed in principle to an organised arbitration court, and it is found that these views oxisted prior to the Conference, and instructions to that effect were given to the German delegates The conviction existed in Berlin that other Powers, notably France, were instructing their delegates similarly. As the Conference pro-cooded, the spirit of conciliation advanced, and the desire to accomplish important permanent results was manifested. With this grew up schemes for an organised arbitration board notably on the British proposals. This left the Gorman delegates in a peculiar position. The difficulty was not at The Hagne, but at Berlin; In order to relieve the situation: Count von

Manster, head of the German delegation, after

do well not to follow."

over the monopoly from our predecessor, the and Dr. Nansen, who examined it most care. Stengel to inform the Emperor personally fully, declared that if Andreo had succeeded in of the condition of affairs. In the meanvery small, and this falling off is attributed to descending with his baloon and taking with time, efforts had been made to find means him his arms and ammunition, there was good of conciliation by the creation of a limited reason to assume that he had reached Green board established at The Hague under land, and he would probably be found by the the ordinary representatives of the Powers Natherst Expedition. It will be impossible to which was proposed by Mr. Andrew White, 3. The observance of the Dragon Boat festi- hear the result of this expedition until Septem. head of the American delegation. This plan Dr. Zorn and Baron von Stengel have been commissioned to plead to Emperor William. The question, therefore, is what His Majesty will roply. The most important fact is that gave Mark Twain (Mr. Samuel L. Clemens) the German delegation from Berlin was accomthis evening at the Hotel Cecil, was a remark. panied by Dr. Holls, Secretary of the American 6.—The increased price of kerosine of the able tribute to the author, and at the same time delegation, who was able to explain fully the to the friendly relations existing between Great | American plan. In the mountime, the delegates of Britain and the United States. Each of the Great Powers here have been merely marking 7.—The overstocking of the market with speakers, among whom the Very Rev. S. Roy- time. The delegates of Russia, Great Britain, nold Hole. United States Senator Channesy and France have held several meetings, con-

> us-What we all in our hearts already knew- The recent developments at the Peace Conthat the European Powers, save England, sym- | ference are generally commented upon here, pathised with our enemies, and that it was only | and the statements of the foreign papers, partheir knowledge that England would support | ticularly the English, that the German reprewas this knowledge which made it possible for the entire press of Germany gives indignant me, when addressing a political gathering of voice to what the papers term "English in-

Germany's pacific intentions." An important Foreign Office official said to the correspondent here of the Associated Press: "The incomplete and usualy distorted partisan reports of the doings of our representatives Lord Aberdeen, former Governor-General of at The Hague, which have appeared for land's proposal for a normanent court of arbitra-Aside from this we miss several essential features, such as rules providing for absolute impartiality. As soon as guarantees of such impartially are given, Germany will be able to assent to propositions going beyond the scope of the original Russian proposition. Some method will probably be found to improve on the incompleteness and unfairness of the meetings of the Conference, now in vogue, even if complete reports have to be printed in the official organ of the German Government."

The snub administered to Germany by rejecting her Minister's proposition at The Hague has been bitterly commented on here. INCOMPETENCY IN HIGH PLACES

London, 12th June. At the United Service Institution this afternoon, in the presence of a distinguished company, Mr. Poultney Bigelow read a paper on The Yankee Soldiers," a eulogy of American regular troops and of raw materal velunteers but a severe condemnation of the political element, which, he declared, governed all appointments and contracts. He said that, on his own personal knowledge, as a result of the lack of organisation and supplies, before the first transport left Tampa, the American Army presented many features incident to a disastrous campaign. There was Mr. Bigelow added, "a complete breakdown of all the machinery for providing. soldiers with food and equipment," and the botel was crowded with staff officers. " who were as belpless in their new uniforms as clergymen in a conning-tower." Mr. Bigelow further asserted that when he exposed the matter, there being still time to remedy it, he met with a storm of indignant denials, and some of the newspaper correspondents at Tampa raised the question whether he should be "strang to a sour apple-tree or generally disposed of as a harmless Innatic." "Since then," the speaker continued, "the Commander-in-Chief has given public testimony that several, if not all the military departments, were scandalously inefficient, that embalmed beef was served to the men," and he (the Commander-in-Chief) was "practically drawing on his imagination when he pronounced all things ready for the Cuban invasion. A general discussion followed. General Morris. Commander of the Woolwich District endorsing Mr. Bigelow's remarks as agreeing

took other views of the matter.

with his own information, while other speakers

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS. The steamer Indrani, from New Yorkeand Straits, left Singapore for this port yesterday The M. M. steamer Oceanien, with the next . French mail, leaves Saigon for this port at 5 a.m.

to day; the 12th instant. The O. S. S. Co's steamer Menelaus, from Liverpool, etc., left Singapore on the morning of 8th instant, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, 13th instant.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

H.M.S. Humber, from Nagasaki 4th July had fine weather throughout. The British steamer Hailoung, from Swatow 16th July, had light S.W. wind and fine clear weather. Vessels in Swatow-Tamsui, Fung-

shun, and Loksang.

A correspondent of the Liverpool Weekly Murcury points out that, although chess-players may talk of tournaments and escutcheous, and such other knightly terms, there is, as a matter of fact, no "chivalry" in Chess. The game reminds him of Darwin's description of a combat between two large and voracious beetles. They did not attack each other's mail or proof. Each with his powerful mandibles, tried to bite off his enemy's legs, joint by joint. They started with eight logs apiece—imagine the delight of that one which still had six left when the other floundered about with only there, and all three on the same side. The six-legged beetle just romped around and lopped off his opponent's three also. Then, as the legless one was dragred off to the larder, what resentment filled his soul, and what despair, Such is modern Chess.

A Cockermonth (Camberland) clergyman has found the following quaint marriage announcements in the Monthly Magazine for 1797:-At Edghaston Church, after a courtship of three weeks, Mr. D. Dykin, aged sixty-six, to Miss the fourth wife he has led to the alter of Speaking of the American troops, M. Turot Rymen within the last four years. Stophen Chetham, of Leeds, aged twenty-two, to Paith Stephenson, of the Old Duke public house. in Great Woodhouse, aged seventy-one. This tender pullet danced a hornpipe on the evening of her wedding day. At Pilminster, John Bendop, aged seventy, who has walked upon crutches for several years, and has only one eye, to Sarah Govier, aged thirty-three, who also has one eye and is dumb. At Morresby, Mr. Clementson jun., almost eighteen, to Miss Waddington, of Parton, turned fifteen. At Newcastle-under-

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W. H. GASKELL, Action Secretary. Hongkong, 1st July, 1899.

THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK Co.; LIMITED, will be held at the Office of the Comrany, Queen's Buildings, Alictoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of July, 1899, at '3 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, when the subjoined resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary Goneral. Meeting of the Company held on the 3rd day of July, 1899 (being an amending at of the resolution originally proposed at the chameting), will be submitted for confirmation as a special

resolution, viz: That the Memorandum and Articles Association submitted to this meeting be and the same are herebyapproved with the following alterations made therein ;

. 1 .- With the words " in Hongkong and clacwhere" inserted in clause I section (a) line 1 of the said Memorandum of Association between the words." to carry on" and the words "the business of" 2. With the number 5 placed before the last clause in the said Momorandum of Association beginning "the Capital . the Company " and with the latter portion of such clause beginning with the words " with power to divide" down to the end of the clause eliminated. 3.—With the words " as the General Meeting resolving upon the creation thereof shall direct and it no direction be given " inthe said Articles of Association between the words "annexed thereto" and the words "as the Directors shall deter-

A .- With the words " (if any)!" inserted bebetween the words "Company" and "may" in Article Number 74 line 3 of the said Articles of Association. 5 .- With all the words after the word "shall in line 1 of Article Number 109 of the

said Articles of Association climinated down to the end of the Article and with the following words inserted instead thereof "three days at least previously to the meeting be served on the registered holders of shares in the manner in which notices are hereinafter directed to be

And that pursuant to the provisions of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Ordinance 1890 the form of the Company's constitution be altered by substituting such Memorandum of Association with extended objects as therein set forth (after making the before mentioned alterations therein) and such Articles of Association (after making the before mentioned alterations therein) for the Compuny's Deed of Settlement dated the 29th of August 1963 and for all regulations of the Company subsequently made and now in force and that the Directors be authorised to apply to the Court to confirm this resolution under the said Ordinance. Dated the 4th day of July, 1899.

By Order of the Board. T. I. ROSE, Queen's Building. Victoria.

Hongkong. THE TEBRAU PLANTING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of \$1.00 per Share has been made in respect of the Shares not fully paid up, and that such Call is payable on the 20th July next, to the undersigned at the Registered Offices of the Company, 38 and 40, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL; JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,

General Managers. Mongkong, 19th June, 1899.

HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENTAND AGHNOY COMPANY, LIMITED.

A. N. INTERIM DIVIDEND of Two FOLLARS AND A HALF per Share for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1899, being at the rate of Ten per cout, per Annum, will be PAYABLE on the 25th instant, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office, No. 5, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 25th instant inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. A SHELTON HOOPER,

Hangkong, 11th July, 1899. THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

N INTERIM DIVIDEND of SEVENTY A FIVE CENTS per Share for the Six Months ending 30th June, 1899, will be PAY-ABLE on the 28th instant, on which dute Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED on the 27th and 28th just.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOUPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LD. General Agents, WEST POINT Building Co., LD.

Hongkong, 11th July, 1899. STOCKBROKERS' ASSOCIATION OF

HONGKONG. N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL A MEETING of MEMBERS of the ASSOCIATION will be held at, 3:15 P.M., on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, for the purpose of confirming the Special Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Members held on 8th instant. - ERICH GEORG,

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Hongkong, 1st January, 1899. IMPERIAL BANKS OF CHINA ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF THE 12TH NOVEMBER, 1896. SOESCRIBED CAPITAL... Shanghai Tls. 5,000,000

PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... ... -2,500,000 HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAL. BRANCHES AND AGENCIES. Hankow. Canton.

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3% per annum on Fixed Deposits for 3 months. Acting Manager. Hongkong, 15th October, 1898.

FETHE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA. INCORPORATED BY ROTAL CHARTER, 1853. HEAD OFFICE. LONDON. 

Ruserve Liability of Share-RESERVE FUND..... £500,000 INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balances On Fixed Deposits for 12 months ... 4 percent.

Manager, Hongkong Hongkong, 22nd May, 1899. TOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK

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ESTABLISHED 1880. CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED) Yen 12,000,000 AND PALD-UP) RESERVE FUND ...... 7,300,000 HEAD OFFICE-TOKOHAMA.

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Hongkong, 1st July, 1899. FETHE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA Sebscribed ......£1,125,000 RESERVE FUND .....£ 20,000

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Manager, Hongkong, Hongkong, 28th April, 1899. TETHE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL ......£1,000,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL...... 2 824,874 HEAD OFFICE-HONGBONG BOARD OF DIRECTORS. CHAS KITSHAN, ESQ. | KWAN HOTOHUEN, Est. CHOW TUNGSHANG, CAL. J. T. LAUTS, Esq. Onow Low, Esq. Chief Manager.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Interest for 12 Months Fixed ..... 5 % Hongkong, 23rd March, 1899. L ONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROP'TORS.\$10,000,000 COURT OF DIRECTORS R. M. GEAY, Esq.—Chairman. N. A. Siers, Esq.—Deputy Chairman.

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On Current Account at the rate of 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance, ON FIXED DEPOSITS. . For 3 months, 21 per Cent. per Anuam. For 6 months, 8 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. THOMAS JACKSON. Chief Manager Hongkong, 5th June, 1899.

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> For the Hongsong and Shanghai BANKING COMPORATION, THOMAS JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, Let August, 1895.

YESSELS EXPECTED.

THE PRENCH MAIL. to-day, the 12th instant, at 5 a.m., and may b expected here on or about Saturday, the 15th instant. This l'acket brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkorg on the 13th May. HIP AMERICAN MADA

H moints, Las proved at Yokohuma, and, loft for files post on the 7th just, was fuland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai. The T. K.K. steamer Nippon Maru, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sen, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai on the 6th instant. The P. M. Steamer City of Rio de Juneiro, ON BOMEAY .with mails &c., left San Francisco for this por via Honolulu. Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai, on the 6th instant. ON CARCUTTA .-

Hongkong, 7th July, 1899. CARMICHAEL & BARLOW. MERCHANT STRAMERS Consulting Engineers, Surveyors, and Contractors, Queen's Buildings. TAESIGNS and Specifications prepared i

any class of Steamships. Launches and light-draught vessels a speciality. Contractors for the supply and erecting of any type of arrive here on the 11th instant. machinery. New work and repairs supervised. New and second hand Lannohes for Sale. Tolograms, "CELESTE," Hongkong. Talophone, 232. H. F. CARMICHAEL. H. J. BARLOW. Hongkong, Ist June, 1899.

WEFFREYS & SON HAMMERLESS 12 BORE GUNS. about the 14th instant: One Second Hand DOUBLE BARREL 8 EARE GUN in Case Complete (cheap). Nagasaki on the 6th instant

Que Second Hand DOUBLE BARREL 10 BORE GUN in Case Complete (chenp). REVOLVERS. RIFLES, SMOKELESS on the 10th instant. TION of every description. The steamer Indrana, from New York and

WM. SCHMIDT & CO., BEACONSFIELD ARCADE. day, the 11th instant, at 6 a.m. Hongkong, 4th July, 1899. TITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA and may be expected here on or about Thursday, No. 6, ICE HOUSE STREET, PRAYA CENTRAL. Head Office :- Tokio.

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The M. M. steamer Oceanien, with the French mail of the 16th ultimo, left Saigon. The O. & O. steamer Dorie, with mails, &c., from San Prancisco to the 17th ultime, vis. On Partis .--

THE INDIAN MAIL. The steamer Hyson, from Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on the 8th instant. The C. Mutual steamer Oopack, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 20th ultimer and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 9th instant. The N. Y. K. steamer Hiroshima Maru

(Bombay Line) left Kobe via Moji for this port on the 4th instant, and is expected to The China Mutual S. N. Co.'s steamer Teen hai, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 23rd ultime, and may be considered due at Singapore on the about the 12th instant. The steamer Sibh, from New York, left Singaptere on Saturday, the 8th instant, and is expected here about Thursday, the 13th inst.

The N. D. L. steamer; Wittenberg, from Hamburg, left Singapers for this port on the 8th instant, and may be expected here on or The C. & O. S. Co's steamer Carmarthenskire left Yokohama for this port via Kobe and China Prov. L. & M ....

The N. P. stormer Glenogle, sailed from Tucoma for Japan and Hongkong on the 6th The N. P. steamer Tacoma, has arrived at Yokohama and sailed for Kobs and Hongkong

Straits, left Singapore for this port on Tues-The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Monelaus, from Hongkong & C. Gus . Liverpool, left Singapore on the 8th instant,

PARSED THE CANAL. OUTWARD. - 16th June - Menelaus, Oceanien Wittenberg. 20th June-Indrani, Argull Atoka, Bombay, Domenico. 23rd June-Benvenue, 27th June-Needles. 30th June -Formosa, Trieste. Alesia, Kronberg, 4th July-Prins Heinrich, Pilgrim, Saratov. 7th July - Chingwo, Ernest Simons, Bisagno. HONEWARD,—7th July—Marquis, Bacqueliem

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

Cars by 12 and 3.30 c'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. The Postal Guide for 1899, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory. P. XXX This is the only authorised completed Summary of Postal information published in

PEAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office at

11.30 s.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the

Hongkoug. A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow.-Per Hailoong, to-day, the 12th nstant, at 10.00 A.M. For Moji .- Per Talegami Maru, to-day, the 12th instant, at 11.00 [A.M. For Swatow and Shanghai - Per Wingsang, to-day, the 12th instant, at 2.00 P.M. For Manila.—Per Esmeralda, to-day, the 12th nstant, at 2.00 F.m. For Kongmoon and Samshui-Per Samshui, to day, the 12th instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Wuchow .- Per Kongpak, to-day, the | Malwa New ...... 1700 to \$710 p. pl. net to 1 cat. 12th instant, at 4.00 P.M. For Singapore, Colombo and Bombay.—Per Hiroshima Maru, to-morrow, the 18th instant, at: 11.00 A.M. For Singapore (direct) .- Per Siam, on Friday, the 14th instant, at 11.00 A.M.

Resetta, on Saturday, the 22nd instant, at 3.00 MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Sydney will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 15th instant, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles, to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caylon, Madras, the Austra- Tokyo ...... Insian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape,

cisco and |San Diego.-Per Belgian King, on

For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohuma.-Per

Friday, the 14th instant, at 11.00 A.M.

Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. Circulars 7.45 a.m. Registration 10.00 a.m. (Registration, with late of 10 cents up to 10.90 A.M. Papers 10.00 s.m. Letters 10.45 s.m. Late Letters 10.55 to 11.15 a.m. with Late

Fee of 10 cents.

to 10.30 a.m.)

10.45 A.M. Letters.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Aztec will be desputched on SATURDAY, the 15th instant, atingon with Mails for Amoy, Shanghai, Japan and San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Perv, &c., which will be closed as fol-10.00 A.M. Registration ceases:

Post Office closes, but Correspondence may Canton ..... be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee Hongkong of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of Victoria Peak..... MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Bayern will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 19th July, with Mails for the United Kingdom.

Malta &c. &c. Registry coases at 7.30. A.M. The mail closes at 8.00 A.M. Late letters MAILS BY THE CANADAIN

PACKET.

will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 19th

instant, with Mails for Amoy, Shanghai, Naga-

saki, Kobe Yokohama, Victoria and Vancouver

The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of Japan

B.C., which will be closed as follows :-0.00 A.M. Registry. (Registration, with late fee of ten cents, up to 10.45 A.M.) Letters 11.00 A.M. 11.00 A.m. Post Office closes, but correspondence my be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until

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OWNERS will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessels during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-P. N. BLANCHARD, Amr. ship, Blanchard-Ross, British bark, Alfred Rickers-Sioms-

COMMERCIAL CLOSING QUOTATIONS. TUESDAY, 11th July

EXCHANGE. On London. Telegraphic Transfer ...... 1/11# Bank Bills, on doman! ...... 1/1113 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ..... 1/112 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 1/1113 Credits, at 4 months sight ..... 20 Documentary Bills, tmonths sight 2 01 Credits, at 4 minum bigat ..... 53 ON GERMANY .--On demand .... 2014 ON NEW YORK. Bank Bills, on demand .......481 Credits, 60 days sight ......49 ON SHANGHAL ON YOUGHAMA. On demand ......41 % pm ON MANILA .--On demand ...... 2 % pm. ON SINGAPORE.-

Sovermons, Bank's Baying Rate... 10.06. GOLD LEAR, 10th fine per toel ...... 52.50 JOINT STOCK SHAKES. PAID UP., QUOTATIONS. (\$5124, buyers , \$125 310 alo prem. Hongkong & S'hai... nominal China & Japan, prf. Do. ordinary ...

Do. deferred... £1 £5.58. Natl. Bank of Chine £8 1822, buyers B. Shares ..... £8 1520 Founders Shares.: £1 nominal Bell's Asheatna E. A. ... \$10 310 .. Campbell, Moore & Co. \$10 \$0.75, sellers \$100 |51:35, sales China Sugar Cotton Mills-International ...... Tls. 100 ffls. 65 Lasu Kung Mow ... The 100 The 75 Soyches .... The 500 The 350 Yahlcong Tls. 100 Tls. 50, bavers Hongkorg \$100 \$80, cates \$ sellers

\$6 \$5,25, sales Dairy Farm Co. ..... \$25 543, mie a sellers Fenwick & Co., Geo. .. \$10 \$23}, sellers Green Island Cement. \$50 \$25 H. & China Bakery £10 \$127, buyers \$10 \$12}, setiers Hongking Electric . \$100 5145, bayers H. H. In Framways . \$50 \$104, buyers Hong tong Hotel .... \$25 \$116, buyere Hong kong Ice ...... \$50 \$96 H. & K. Wharf & G... \$50 3175, bayers Hurgkong Rope..... \$125 402 p. et, prem-H. & W. Dock ...... In arrances -

850 \$140, sales Canton ..... 520 \$884, buyers China Fire ...... \$25 \$62 wellers China Traders' ..... \$50 \$3121, sellers Hongkong Fire ..... £25 Th. 195 North-China \$20 |\$64, buyers Straits ..... 850 8285 Union ..... 860 \$105, buyers angiste ..... Land and Building-\$50 \$97 \$10 \$11 \$30 \$30, buvers H. Land lovestment. Humphreys Estate... Kowloon Land & B. West Point Building \$100 857, seliers Luson Sugar

Mining-3co. 250 |\$250, sellers Charbonnages ..... \$5. \$2.75, sellers Grent E. & C'donian [ 95, cts., sellers Do. Preference : 85 813.75, sellers 25c. 17t, etc., buyers Queens Mines Ld... Oliver's Mines, A. .. 836 \$5, com.call b'yers \$6 \$14.85, sellers Punjout ...... Do. Preference ... 1ud. \$60, buyers Ranbs ...... New Amoy Dock ...

teamship Coy.— \$50 \$91, buyers £10 £9. 15s., buyers China and Manila. China Mutual Pref. £10 £6, 0s., buyers Do. Mutual O'ary. £5 £3, 0s., buyera \$50 \$57½, sellera Donglas S. S. Co. ... H., Canton and M... Indo-China S. N.... £15. \$32, sales £10 \$62, ex div., 6 lens 674 \$16, buyers Star Ferry ...... \$5 \$5, sellers Tebran Planting Co. ... \$3 \$3, milers

Do. Founder-

United Asbestos ......

Wanchai Wareh'se Co.

Watson & Co., A. B....

Begares Old ..... —

J. Y. V. VERNON, Broker. Malwa Old ......\$800 17 \$310 Malwa Older.....\$820 10 \$850 Persian Oily..... — 10 — Do. Piper-wipped\$770 to -Patna New .......\$8174 to - per chest Patna Old ......\$8721 Велягез New...... \$827 For Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, San Fran-

\$10 \$10, nominal

\$374\$42, sales

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Hongkong, China, and Japan. Hongkong, 12th July, 1899.

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J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent Hongkong, 23rd June, 1899. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM SHIPS. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL THE Steamship

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H. A. RITCHIE. Superintendent. Hongkong, 10th July, 1899.

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J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent. Hon gkong, 3rd July 1899.

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"YANGTSZE." H. Allen, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 29th

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Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be !! landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 11th July will be subject

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Agents. Hongkong, 4th July, 1899. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before NOON, on the 15th July, or they will not be No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any

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Hongkong, 8th July, 1899. "BEN"LINE OF STEAMERS: NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON,

AND SINGAPORE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are bereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowleon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th inst. will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 22nd instant, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 14th inst., at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.

Hongkong, 8th July, 1899. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

"COROMANDEL," FROM BOMBAY: COLOMBO, AND STRAITS.

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the For further information as to Freight or Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each

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1 P.M. TO-DAY. Goods has pleated by the 12th July, at 4 P.M., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's serival here, after which

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